

out a competitively awarded grant program for State, local, or other organizations in Maine to fund on-the-ground projects to further Atlantic salmon conservation and restoration efforts, at least \$550,000 of which shall be awarded to projects that will also assist industries in Maine affected by the listing of Atlantic salmon under the Endangered Species Act."

**SA 923.** Mr. TORRICELLI submitted an amendment intended to be proposed by him to the bill H.R. 2217, making appropriations for the Department of the Interior and related agencies for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2002, and for other purposes; which was ordered to lie on the table; as follows:

On page 143, line 7, after "herein," insert "of which \$140,000 shall be made available for the preparation of, and not later than July 31, 2002, submission to Congress of a report on, a feasibility study and situational appraisal of the Hackensack Meadowlands, New Jersey, to identify management objectives and address strategies for preservation efforts, and".

#### AUTHORITY FOR COMMITTEES TO MEET

##### COMMITTEE ON ARMED SERVICES

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, July 11, 2001, at 5:45 p.m., in Executive Session to meet with the British Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs, the Right Honorable Jack Straw.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, SCIENCE, AND TRANSPORTATION

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation be authorized to meet on Wednesday, July 11, 2001, at 9:30 a.m. on Internet Privacy.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Finance be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, July 11, 2001, to hear testimony regarding the Role of Tax Incentives in Energy Policy, Part II.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Foreign Relations be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, July 11, 2001 at 3 p.m. to hold a nomination hearing.

Nominees:

Mr. Peter R. Chaveas, of Pennsylvania, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Sierra Leone.

Mr. Aubrey Hooks, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

Mr. Donald J. McConnell, of Ohio, to be Ambassador to the State of Eritrea.

Ms. Nancy J. Powell, of Iowa, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Ghana.

Mr. George M. Staples, of Kentucky, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cameroon, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Republic of Equatorial Guinea.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Governmental Affairs be authorized to meet on Wednesday, July 11, 2001, at 9 a.m. for a business meeting to consider pending committee business.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Governmental Affairs be authorized to meet on Wednesday, July 11, 2001, at 9:30 a.m. for a hearing regarding S. 803, the e-Government Act of 2001.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, EDUCATION, LABOR, AND PENSIONS

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions be authorized to meet for a hearing on achieving parity for mental health treatment during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, July 11, 2001, at 10 a.m.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Committee on the Judiciary be authorized to meet to conduct a nominations hearing on Wednesday, July 11, 2001, at 2 p.m., in Dirksen 226.

Panel I: Roger L. Gregory, of Virginia, to be U.S. circuit judge for the Fourth Circuit.

Panel II: Richard F. Cebull, of Montana, to be U.S. district judge for the District of Montana; Sam E. Haddon, of Montana, to be U.S. district judge for the District of Montana.

Panel III: Eileen J. O'Connor, of Maryland, to be Assistant Attorney General for the Tax Division.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Select Committee on Intelligence be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, July 11, 2001 at 2:30 p.m., to hold a hearing on intelligence matters.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### SUBCOMMITTEE ON READINESS AND MANAGEMENT

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the subcommittee

on Readiness and Management Support of the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, July 11, 2001, at 9:30 a.m., in open session to receive testimony on the readiness of the U.S. Military Forces and the FY2002 budget amendment, in review of the Defense authorization request for fiscal year 2002.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

##### SUBCOMMITTEE ON STRATEGIC

Mr. REID. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that the Subcommittee on Strategic of the Committee on Armed Services be authorized to meet during the session of the Senate on Wednesday, July 11, 2001, at 2:00 p.m., in open session to receive testimony on the budget request for national security space programs, policies operations and strategic systems and programs, in review of the Defense authorization request for fiscal year 2002.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR

Mr. BYRD. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that Scott Dalzell, a detailee with the majority staff, and Mark Davis, a detailee with the minority staff, be afforded privileges of the floor during the pendency of H.R. 2217.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, it is so ordered.

#### SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT, 2001

On July 10, 2001, the Senate amended and passed H.R. 2216, as follows:

*Resolved*, That the bill from the House of Representatives (H.R. 2216) entitled "An Act making supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes," do pass with the following amendment:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert:

*That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and for other purposes, namely:*

##### TITLE I—NATIONAL SECURITY MATTERS CHAPTER 1

##### DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

##### RADIATION EXPOSURE COMPENSATION

##### PAYMENT TO RADIATION EXPOSURE COMPENSATION TRUST FUND

*For an additional amount for "Payment to Radiation Exposure Compensation Trust Fund" for claims covered by the Radiation Exposure Compensation Act, \$84,000,000, to remain available until expended.*

##### CHAPTER 2

##### DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

##### MILITARY PERSONNEL

##### MILITARY PERSONNEL, ARMY

*For an additional amount for "Military Personnel, Army", \$164,000,000.*

##### MILITARY PERSONNEL, NAVY

*For an additional amount for "Military Personnel, Navy", \$84,000,000.*